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Applicant : BENNETT et al.  
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ELECTRONIC ORDER ROUTING (CORS)**  
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal the final rejection of claims 1-40 dated September 8, 2003, to the Board of Appeals. A Request for Extension of Time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) is being filed herewith to extend the response period to March 8, 2004.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$330 for payment of the Notice of Appeal. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 50-1458. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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